

## ROYAL COURT SECURITY POLICE ACT, B.E. 2495 (1952)

King Bhumibol Adulyadej

Dated 25<sup>th</sup> Day of September B.E. 2495 (1952);

Being the 7<sup>th</sup> Year of the Present Reign

His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej is graciously pleased to proclaim that:

Whereas it is expedient to issue the law on the royal court security police.

Be it, therefore, enacted by the King, by and with the advice and consent of the National Legislative Assembly, as follows.

**Section 1.** This Act is called the “Royal Court Security Police Act, B.E. 2495 (1952)”.

**Section 2.** This Act shall come into force as from the day following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette.

**Section 3.** There shall be the Royal Court Security police with the duties to guard the safety of the Royal Court and fulfil His Majesty's wishes in addition to other duties as specified by the law.

Upon fulfilling the duties stipulated in the previous clause, the Royal Court Security police officers must follow the Chief Aide-de-Camp General's command.

**Section 4.** There are three categories of Royal Court Security police officers:

- (1) Special Royal Court Security police officer;
- (2) Commissioned Royal Court Security police officer;
- (3) Permanent Royal Court Security police officer.

**Section 5.** The appointment of all categories of Royal Court Security police is upon the Royal Command.

**Section 6.** Special Royal Court Security police officer is the title graciously granted by His Majesty the King to a commissioned police officer that would perform the duty as a Royal Court Security police officer on occasions.

**Section 7.** Commissioned Royal Court Security police officer is appointed to a commissioned police officer in service who would perform the duty as a Commissioned Royal Court Security police officer in addition to the previously appointed position.

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**Section 8.** Permanent Royal Court Security police officer is appointed to a commissioned police officer in service who would perform the duty as a Permanent Royal Court Security police officer.

**Section 9.** The Special Royal Court Security police officers and the Permanent Royal Court Security police officers are discharged upon the Royal Command.

**Section 10.** The Commissioned Royal Court Security police officers are discharged when:

- (1) having been discharged from the Royal Thai Police; or
- (2) having served as a Permanent Royal Court Security police officer for three years.

**Section 11.** Once discharged, Royal Court Security police officers of all categories may be granted a pin with His Majesty the King's initials and a satin sash in the colour of His Majesty King's birthday as a mark of honour.

**Section 12.** The Minister of Interior and the Minister of Defense shall be responsible for the implementation of this Act.

Countersigned by

Field Marshal Plaek Phibunsongkhram

Prime Minister

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